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Town Officers.

Moderator,

OTIS S. BROWN.

Town Clerk,

JONATHAN ROLLINS.

Selectmen,

OTIS S. BROWN, CYRUS FOGG,
SIMON O. LAMPREY.

Treasurer,

JONATHAN ROLLINS.

Collector,

IRVING H. LAMPREY.

Police and Constables,

GEORGE A. MARDEN, GEORGE E. PERKINS.

Highway Agents,

HORACE S. BROWN, FRED B. WIGGIN.

Supervisors,

JOHN S. HOBBS, GEORGE D. BROWN,
GEORGE A. BOYNTON.

Representative,

FORACE O. BROWN.

Auditors,

JOHN W. WARNER, GEORGE D. BROWN.

School Board,

ALBERT BACHELDER, IRVING H. LAMPREY,
SIMON H. LEAVITT.

Librarian,

LEVI W. FOGG.

Trustees of Library,

LEVI W. FOGG, L. K. H. LANE.
CHARLES W. PHILBRICK.

Selectmen's Report.

INVOICE.

Resident land and buildings,	$384,061
Non-resident land and buildings,	150,248
Polls, 206,	20,600
Cows, 639,	14,500
Horses, 233,	13,506
Oxen, 12,	560
Sheep, 178,	516
Fowl, 397,	159
Carriages, 43,	3,420
Stock in trade,	4,100
Money on hand,	5,300
Value of stock in public funds,	300
Stock in banks,	3,100
Mills and machinery,	3,350
	$603,720

APPROPRIATIONS.

For state and county tax,	$1,700
schools,	1,675
text books and supplies,	150
library,	139
interest,	50
roads and bridges,	1,500
Memorial Day, Perkins Post,	25
police,	125
officials,	300
cemeteries,	400
miscellaneous,	436
	$6,500

State, county, town, school and highway tax, $1.10 on $100.

DISCOUNT.

Paid Collector, discount,	$230 06

STATE AND COUNTY.

Paid State Treasurer,	$1,390 00
County "	1,468 35
	$2,858 35

SCHOOLS.

Paid School Board, town appropriation,	$1,675 00
literary fund,	106 68
repairs,	100 00
text books and supplies,	259 00
official services,	55 00
	$2,195 68

NOTES AND INTEREST.

Paid George D. Cotton, interest,	$20 00
J. Rollins, "	18 00
Mary B. White, note and interest,	507 50
	$545 50

LIBRARY.

Paid L. K. H. Lane, library appropriation,	$139 00
Fred L. Dow, librarian in 1893,	6 50
Warren B. Moulton, labor on library room,	17 64
	$163 14

ROADS AND BRIDGES.

Paid D. J. Lamprey, labor in spring, 1895,	$47 03
Horace S. Brown,	589 05
Fred B. Wiggin,	542 98
	$1,179 06

CEMETERIES.

Paid Fred J. Moore, care of Centre cemetery,	$85 00
Due cemetery from last year's cemetery fund,	$19 83
Received from Portsmouth Savings Bank, interest,	30 23
Interest due from Strafford "	39 00
	$89 06

GRADING.

Paid Cyrus Fogg, Centre cemetery,	$95 00
George D. Brown, East cemetery,	18 00
Joseph A. Tarlton, "	2 25
Otis S. Brown, "	12 25
Albert Bachelder, "	24 00
Horace S. Brown, "	31 00
Alvin C. Brown, "	35 75
David J. Lamprey, "	22 00
George D. Cotton, "	35 75
Eben L. Dalton, "	67 50
John H. Brown, "	14 88
Alfred H. Brown, "	8 75
Walter E. Locke "	12 75
Arthur R. Rice, "	12 00
Arthur A. Brown, "	3 60
	$395 48

POLICE SERVICE.

Paid George A. Marden, watchman,	$120 00
" " police and constable,	15 00
George E. Perkins, " "	4 50
	$139 50

ABATEMENTS.

Jacob Rowe, poll,	$1 10
Adoniram Rowe, "	1 10
Eddie Roberts, "	1 10
	$3 30

MISCELLANEOUS.

Paid John Templeton, town reports,	$30 00
Memorial day, Perkins Post,	25 00
Cyrus Fogg, labor on wall,	28 30
Abel T. Brown, water trough, two years,	6 00
John S. Hobbs, cemetery deeds,	6 00
Charles F. Smith, water trough,	3 00
Dr. M. F. Smith, record of births and deaths,	5 25
Horace Sawyer, damage to horse,	25 00
I. H. Lamprey, printing tax bills and stationery,	3 00
David J. Marston, water trough, 2 years,	6 00
Pepperell Frost, " "	6 00
S. O. Lamprey, bounty on hawks,	3 75
Cyrus Fogg, " "	1 75
Otis S. Brown, " "	6 00
" collector's book and stationery,	2 60
	$157 65

OFFICIAL SERVICES.

Paid George L. Garland, election inspector,	$3 00
John W. Warner, Auditor,	1 00
Simon O. Lamprey, Selectman,	14 00
Irving H. Lamprey, Collector,	44 00
J. Rollins, Town Clerk,	20 00
" Town Treasurer,	20 00
John S. Hobbs, Supervisor two years,	18 00
Geo. D. Brown, " — and Auditor,	10 00
Orrin B. Leavitt, Hearse Warden,	32 00
Cyrus Fogg, Selectman,	23 00
Otis S. Brown, "	42 00
	$227 00

DISBURSEMENTS.

Discount,	$230 06
State and County,	2,858 35
Schools,	2,195 68
Notes and interest,	545 50

Library,	$163 14
Roads and Bridges,	1,179 06
Miscellaneous,	157 65
Official services,	227 00
Centre Cemetery,	85 00
Grading cemeteries,	395 48
Police service,	139 50
Abatements,	3 30
	$8,179 72
Cash in hands of treasurer,	1,145 37
	$9,325 09

RECEIPTS.

Amount on hand from last year,	$611 27
From state, bounty on hawks,	11 50
Railroad tax,	86 72
Insurance tax,	22 50
Savings bank tax,	1,039 71
Literary fund,	106 68
Dog licenses,	109 71
Town note,	500 00
Cemetery lots,	117 00
Interest on cemetery fund,	30 23
" deposit,	27 52
Collector,	6,662 25
	$9,325 09
Amount committed to collector,	$6,662 25

ASSETS.

Cash in hands of treasurer,	$1,145 37
Cemetery trust funds,	2,000 00
Interest due on cemetery funds,	39 00
	$3,184 37

LIABILITIES.

Due on town notes,	$1,100 00
Interest on same,	18 00
	$1,118 00

DEBT.

Assets, Feb. 15, 1896,	$3,184 37	
Liabilities, Feb. 15, 1896,	1,118 00	
Balance in favor of the town,		$2,066 37
Balance in favor of the town, exclusive of cemetery fund,		$66 37

OTIS S. BROWN,
CYRUS FOGG,
SIMON O. LAMPREY,
} Selectmen of North Hampton.

Treasurer's Report.

Balance from last year,	$611 27	
Received from town note,	500 00	
Cemetery lots,	117 00	
Cemetery fund,	30 23	
Dog licenses,	109 71	
Insurance tax,	22 50	
Railroad tax,	86 72	
Savings Bank tax,	1,039 71	
Literary fund,	106 68	
Bounty on hawks,	11 50	
Collector of taxes,	6,662 25	
Interest on deposit,	27 52	
		$9,325 09

CR.

By amount paid State tax,	$1,390 00	
County tax,	1,468 35	
Selectmen's orders,	5,321 37	
on hand,	1,145 37	
		$9,325 09

JONATHAN ROLLINS, Town Treasurer.

NORTH HAMPTON, N. H., Feb. 24, 1896.

We, the undersigned, having examined the books and accounts of selectmen and treasurer, find them correctly cast, with proper vouchers.

GEORGE D. BROWN, }
J. W. WARNER, } Auditors.

Report of Highway Agents.

REPORT OF HORACE S. BROWN.

RECEIPTS.

1895.			
May 25,	Cash,	$200 00	
Sept 12,	"	300 00	
Nov. 4,	"	50 00	
1896.			
Feb. 15,	"	39 05	
Total,			$589 05

FOR LABOR ON HIGHWAYS.

Paid John H Brown,	$12 50
Robert Whenal,	6 60
Arthur A. Brown,	17 85
George A. Marden,	75
Charles Taylor,	4 50
Josiah J. Knowles,	6 00
Jonathan D. Moulton,	2 25
Oliver C. Page,	1 50
George E. Taylor,	11 20
George A. Batchelder,	8 00
Ira J. Taylor,	6 00
Richard Taylor,	13 50
George O. Moulton,	6 00
Levi W. Fogg,	1 50
Walter E. Locke,	3 75
Charles F. Smith,	9 70
Alvin C. Brown,	21 93
George E. Perkins,	4 50
George D. Cotton,	38 50
Eben L. Dalton,	41 25

Paid George D. Brown,	$4 00	
Joseph A. Tarlton,	75	
Morris H. Moulton,	27 40	
Joseph Hobbs,	5 60	
Justin E. Drake,	7 75	
Orren Batchelder,	1 80	
Irving W. Brown,	6 21	
Nathan Brown,	75	
Irving H. Lamprey,	1 00	
Francis R. Drake,	1 25	
Elvin Fogg,	60	
Forest Fogg,	60	
Alfred Brown,	60	
Herbert J. Tarlton,	1 25	
Austin Lamprey,	1 00	
Robert P. Locke,	8 50	
Horace S. Brown, self, team and 1 man,	262 71	
J. Rollins, nails, bolts and washers,	1 07	
David J. Lamprey, for lumber,	9 08	
Frank P. Brown, for bridge timber,	10 44	
Edwin Janvrin, for bridge plank,	13 34	
Freeman H. Marden, cedar posts,	5 57	
		$589 05

HORACE S. BROWN, Highway Agent.

North Hampton, February 15, 1896.

REPORT OF FRED. B. WIGGIN.

Paid Frank Leavitt,	$1 50
Robert Whenal,	3 00
Thomas Whenal,	2 32
George L. Garland,	5 50
Robert Mitchell,	75
John W. Philbrick,	2 25
Geo. E. Perkins,	2 25

Paid L. P. Wiggin,	$15 00	
Geo. E. Frost,	4 00	
Charles E. Wiggin,	14 25	
David C. Smith,	16 00	
John I. Leavitt,	30 00	
J. Rowe,	4 50	
John Chapman,	1 05	
Samuel A. Jenness,	3 00	
Fred J. Moore,	15 00	
Frank Berry,	3 00	
Forace O. Brown,	4 00	
Geo. H. Lamprey,	5 50	
Thos. E. Marston,	12 40	
W. H. Philbrook,	10 00	
Morris H. Locke,	8 00	
Geo. N. Smith,	9 40	
Edwin M. Lamprey,	2 50	
George Seavey,	12 00	
S. R. Dalton,	6 75	
E. H. Dalton,	8 00	
A. D. Hobbs,	7 60	
J. F. French,	16 72	
Frank Jenness,	85	
Charles L. Barton,	84	
Simon H. Leavitt,	17 05	
Thomas J. Knowles,	45	
A. J. Rowe,	75	
W. J. Chevelier,	2 70	
Geo. W. Tebbetts,	8 50	
F. B. Wiggin,	287 60	
		$544 98
Received from town,		$544 98

FRED. B. WIGGIN, Highway Agent.

NORTH HAMPTON, Feb. 15, 1896.

Library Report.

The hearty interest taken in our library, reported one year ago, is fully maintained. The books have a wide circulation through the town, from fifty to seventy-five being taken out each week. Some of our oldest citizens, those who have seen more than fourscore years, are among the constant readers, down to the boy and girl just entering the flowery paths of literature. The library numbers five hundred volumes, not including books of reference. We have had from the state during the past year a roster of the soldiers and sailors who served the government during the Rebellion; also the proceedings of Congress when the statues of Stark and Webster were unveiled.

Again we have been remembered by friends from out of town. Mrs. C. H. Bell, Exeter, presented the library with two volumes, Bench and Bar of New Hampshire; also History of Exeter and Harper's Magazine complete for 1894; Col. E. H. Gilman, of Exeter, three large volumes on geology; Mr. Templeton, the honored editor of the News-Letter, a volume treating on tuberculosis.

With a just appreciation of our library, we hope as the years go by we can note a steady if not a rapid growth.

L. W. FOGG, Librarian.

REPORT OF TREASURER OF PUBLIC LIBRARY.

Received appropriation for the year,	$139	00
Received from Librarian fines collected,		38
	$139	38

Paid for books,	$91 31	
express on same,	85	
fare to Boston to purchase books,	2 38	
for numerals for books,	4 50	
for oil,	18	
Librarian's salary,	39 00	
Cash on hand,	1 16	
		$139 38

L. K. H. LANE, Treasurer.

February 24, 1896.

Annual School Report.

To the Citizens of North Hampton:

Never has there been such a demand for better books, better methods, better training for the children than at the present day. Men and women are giving time and thought in planning how they can place before the young minds that which will best prepare them to make their lives successful. The world is asking for better educated men and women — morally, physically and mentally. It wants men of truth, honor and integrity; women of education and virtue, who can make homes and train mortal beings for beyond the skies. Money invested which will aid to this end will pay the highest interest. Parents would be great helps in this direction if they would visit the schools and work in sympathy with the teachers; become acquainted with their children in the school as as well as in the home; study the methods used and suggest improvements.

Our state makes laws that the School Board shall supply everything needed for the children. As a town we appropriate our money very freely for that purpose. But if the parents would insist that their children be punctual in their attendance, as far as possible, if they would speak a kind word for the teachers, it would go far toward better results.

Our schools in town show good work done the past year. We have had hard-working, conscientious teachers, who have given their time and labor unsparingly. While we, by no means, claim perfection, we aim for the best.

Our school-rooms are in good order and have been well cared for by the children. The seats in the Grammar room at the East

District are very uncomfortable for the scholars. We hope you will grant us at the annual meeting an appropriation sufficient to reseat it.

ALBERT BACHELDER,
SIMON H. LEAVITT, } School Board.
IRVING H. LAMPREY,

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

RECEIPTS.

Balance from last year,	$180 13	
School money,	1,675 00	
Literary fund,	106 68	
Sale of books, paper, etc.,	15 26	
For text books, maps and supplies,	259 00	
For repairs,	100 00	
		$2,336 07

EXPENDITURES.

Miss Clara N. Wentworth, teaching,	$395 00
" Gertrude C. Knox, "	36 75
" Emma D. Shelton, "	64 00
" Annie J. Winter, "	206 75
" Eva A. Field, "	120 00
" Emily L. Kenney, "	241 00
" Gertrude Robinson, "	327 00
" Esther B. Noyes, music teacher,	101 64
Mr. Carl L. Akeley, " "	54 00
Janitors' services,	45 40
Transportation of pupils,	50 05
Repairs and Improvements,	166 44
Fuel,	61 75
Tuition and Garland tax, town of Rye,	19 00

Express, freight, telegrams, postage and car fares,	$24 75	
Cleaning school-rooms,	22 87	
Maps,	62 00	
Text books and supplies,	150 91	
Paper, ink, pencils, crayons, etc.,	61 35	
New furniture,	6 10	
Auditors,	4 00	
		$2,220 76

ALBERT BACHELDER, Treasurer.

Length of school year, 37 weeks.

AUDITORS' REPORT.

NORTH HAMPTON, February 28, 1896.

We have this day examined the above account and find it correctly cast and properly vouched, and an unexpended balance of one hundred and fifteen dollars and thirty-one cents.

L. K. H. LANE,
MOSES C. GARLAND, } Auditors.

BIRTHS Registered in the Town of North Hampton, N. H., for the year ending December 31, 1895.

DATE.	PLACE OF BIRTH.	NAME OF CHILD.	SEX.	NAME OF FATHER.	AGE.	NAME OF MOTHER.	AGE.
Jan. 10,	North Hampton,		M	Fred J. Moore,	38	Mary O. Dow,	39
Mar. 6,	North Hampton,		F	Levi W. Knowles,	44	Emma E. Courson,	35
31,	North Hampton,		"	Robert E. Luck,	24	Mary A. Roberts,	23
Apr. 13,	North Hampton,		"	Oliver D. Moulton,	41	Lizzie H. Sleeper,	30
May 25,	North Hampton,		"	Albion S. Clark,	40	Ida M. Cammett,	33
25,	North Hampton,		"	Albion S. Clark,	40	Ida M. Cammett,	33
June 14,	North Hampton,		M	Frank P. Berry,	39	Ethel May Brock,	22
July 9,	North Hampton,		F	Frank C. Norton,	41	Abbie F. Breed,	26
22,	North Hampton,		M	George W. Tarlton,	41	Nellie F. Moulton,	33
Sept. 18,	North Hampton,	Raelene Addison,	F	Orrin B. Leavitt,	46	Mary O. Drake,	35
Oct. 7,	North Hampton,	Mary Abbie,	"	Fred L. Shaw,	29	Ethel B. Parshley,	27
Nov. 6,	North Hampton,	Fannie B.,	"	Andrew S. Marston,	24	Nora F. Mansfield,	32

MARRIAGES Registered in the Town of North Hampton, N. H., for the year ending December 31, 1895.

DATE.	PLACE OF MARRIAGE.	NAME OF GROOM AND BRIDE.	RESIDENCE OF EACH.	AGE.	PLACE OF BIRTH.
June 12,	Hampton,	Moses L. Hobbs, Nancy J. Marston,	North Hampton, Hampton,	57 53	North Hampton. Seabrook.
July 4,	Hampton,	Charles C. Dalton, Jennie Weare,	North Hampton, Seabrook,	22 22	North Hampton. Seabrook.
Oct. 30,	North Hampton,	George A. Boothby, Octavia L. Milliken,	Boston, Saco,	20 20	
Nov. 20,	North Hampton,	Charles W. Philbrick, Sarah E. Taylor,	North Hampton, North Hampton,	46 31	Hampton, North Hampton,
Dec. 24,	Hampton,	John B. Moulton, Elizabeth A. Godfrey,	North Hampton, Greenland,	26 27	

DEATHS Registered in the Town of North Hampton, N. H., for the year ending December 31, 1895.

DATE.	PLACE OF DEATH.	NAME.	AGE. Years.	AGE. Mos.	AGE. Days.	PLACE OF BIRTH.	NAME OF FATHER.	NAME OF MOTHER.
May 12	North Hampton,	Data Knowles,	85		3	North Hampton,	Jonathan Hobbs,	Mary Drake.
22,	North Hampton,	Nathaniel Drake,	69	9	1	North Hampton,	Francis Drake,	Mary Drake.
June 6,	North Hampton,	Mary Lizzie Clark,			13	North Hampton,	Albion S. Clark,	Ida Cammett.
12,	North Hampton,	Reuben L. Moulton,	77	11		North Hampton,	Jonathan Moulton,	Olive Lamprey.
July 9,	North Hampton,	Samuel Knowles,	82	6	4	North Hampton,	Samuel Knowles,	Ann Dearborn.
Sept. 8,	North Hampton,	Samuel D. Lane,	85	9	3	North Hampton,	John Lane,	Sarah Dow.
11,	North Hampton,	Daniel Sherburne,	87	4	3	Portsmouth,	John Sherburne,	Elizabeth Brewster.
23,	North Hampton,	Fannie A. Hobbs,	59	7	18	North Hampton,	Thomas Hobbs,	Fanny Hobbs.
27,	North Hampton,	Oliver C. Page,				North Hampton,	Samuel C. Page,	Mary Godfrey.
Nov. 14,	North Hampton,	John A. Wright,	71	1	7	Nova Scotia,	James Wright,	Margaret Gray.
	Concord,	Lawrence Dearborn,	78			North Hampton,	Nathaniel Dearborn,	
Dec. 23,	North Hampton,	Hannah L. Frost,	78	9	9	Ossipee,	James Libbey,	Abigail Goodwin.
28,	North Hampton,	Charles E. Seavey,	61	6	18	Rye,	Joseph Seavey,	Sarah Lang.